

KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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HazMat IQ by Federal Reserves
Above the Line / Below the Line
Kentucky Fire Training Center
2001 Training Center Drive, Princeton, KY 42445
Saturday May 16, 2020
8:00am - 5:00pm (CST)

Course Description:

The HazMatlQ Above The Line/Below The Line System is a patented program developed by experienced hazardous materials responders, taught in a straight forward, easy to understand methodology. By the use of simplified flow charts, personnel are able to safely and efficiently respond to any known or unknown chemical or mixture. Students will be trained to size-up (physical state, hazards, initial hot zone, correct meters and PPE) any chemical in virtually seconds. The system then coaches personnel through a streamlined chemical research method to verify their initial size-up, preparing them to immediately go to work when they arrive on a Hazardous Materials/WMD event. The HazMatlQ 4 - step system consists of: Revolutionary 10 - second "Above the line - Below the line" chemical size-up, Streamlined chemical research process, Choose the appropriate meter(s) and protective equipment and Operate safely in the hot zone based on mission.

Student Criteria:

This course is open to all Emergency Management, Rescue, Environmental Response, Public Health, Fire, Emergency Medical, Law Enforcement personnel or any organization having responsibility for responding to a hazardous materials incident. HazMat Awareness and Operations class would be beneficial to the student.

Special Notes:

Advance student registration is REQUIRED and must be received by <u>May 01, 2020</u> in order to participate in this course. MAXIMUM number of student seats available is 24. Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will *NOT* be reimbursed by KYEM unless otherwise noted.

Registration:

Registration application for the course can be completed using the following link to the KYEM website: http://kyem.ky.gov/training/Pages/HazMat.aspx Students will be notified if the course is cancelled. For this reason, it is imperative that you provide accurate contact information.

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